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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Itzhak BENTWICH

Serial No: **10/605,924** Group Art Unit:
Filed : **November 6, 2003** Examiner:
For : **BIOINFORMATICALLY DETECTABLE GROUP
OF NOVEL REGULATORY GENES AND USES
THEREOF**

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS
OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

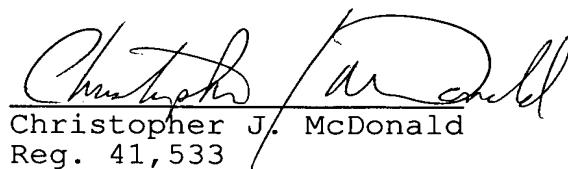
In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated November 8, 2004, Applicant submits the following material:

1. A copy of the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application"
2. Conversion of electronic filing to conventional filing
 - a. A paper submission of a substitute specification
 - b. 9 CD-Rs containing text tables and sequence listings in an unsealed padded and protective mailing envelope
 - i. Large Tables 1 Copy 1
 - ii. Large Tables 2 Copy 1
 - iii. Large Tables 3 Copy 1
 - iv. Sequence Listing Copy 1
 - v. Large Tables 1 Copy 2
 - vi. Large Tables 2 Copy 2
 - vii. Large Tables 3 Copy 2
 - viii. Sequence Listing Copy 2
 - ix. Sequence Listing Computer Readable Form (CRF)

- c. All the forms authored in ePAVE
 - i. Application data sheet
 - ii. Transmittal
 - iii. Declaration
 - iv. Fee-sheet
 - v. Assignment
 - vi. Acknowledgment Receipt
- 3. A signed declaration that 3 sequence listing CDs have identical content
- 4. A signed amendment of specification to cancel references to omitted drawings
- 5. A transmittal letter describing the machine and operating system formats of the 5 CDs (plus copies) and the contents and size of the file on each CD
- 6. Payment authorization

If any additional fees are due and owing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account 08-2455.

Respectfully submitted,



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**TRANSMITTAL**

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Title of Invention	BIOINFORMATICALLY DETECTABLE GROUP OF NOVEL REGULATORY GENES AND USES THEREOF	
Application Number: Date: First Named Applicant: Dr. Itzhak Bentwich		
Confirmation Number: Attorney Docket Number:		
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Dr. Itzhak Bentwich		



Transmittal Letter

Application number: 10/605924

Title: BIOINFORMATICALLY DETECTABLE GROUP OF NOVEL REGULATORY GENES AND USES THEREOF

First named inventor: Itzhak Bentwich

Machine format: IBM-PC

Operating system compatibility: MS-Windows

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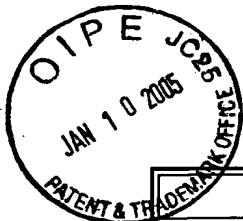
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CD 5 - Sequence Listing Computer Readable Form content:

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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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AUTHORIZED BILLING INFORMATION

The commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:

Deposit account number: 502830

Access Code *********

Deposit name: ROSETTA GENOMICS LTD

Deposit authorized name: BENTWICH ITZHAK

Signature: ZB

Date (YYYYMMDD): 2003-08-29

Charge Assignment Fees Required Under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.21 (h).

Charge the Issue Fee Set in 37 C.F.R. Section 1.18 at the Mailing of the Notice of Allowance

Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 C.F.R. Sections 1.16 and 1.17.



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Bentwich

Appl. No. : 10/605924

Applicant : Itzhak Bentwich

Filed : 06-Nov-03

Customer No. : 37808

Title : BIOINFORMATICALLY DETECTABLE GROUP OF NOVEL
REGULATORY GENES AND USES THEREOF

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Washington, D.C. 20231

PAYMENT AUTHORIZATION

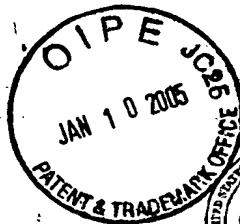
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The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account 50-2830 for all fees
associated with this submission.

Respectfully submitted,



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FORMALITIES LETTER



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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

01 FC:2001
02 FC:2201
03 FC:2051

395.00 OP
200.00 OP
65.00 UP

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 395 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- This application does not contain, as a separate part of the disclosure on paper copy, a "Sequence Listing" as required by 37 CFR 1.821(c) Applicant must provide an initial paper or compact disc copy of the "Sequence Listing", as well as an amendment directing its entry into the application and a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000).

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02 FC:2201 200.00 OP
03 FC:2051 65.00 OP

- A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has not been submitted as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing" and a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

For questions regarding compliance to these requirements, please contact:

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The application was generated using the USPTO Electronic Filing System (EFS) software and hand delivered to the USPTO personal. A filing receipt was giving to the applicant to establish a date of receipt of the submission. This exception processing was due to the large size of the submission, which is beyond that which can be handled by current equipment and software. The application was not filed under the Legal Framework (<http://www.uspto.gov/ebc/efs/legal/legalframe1.htm>) of EFS or according to 37 CFR 1.52. As an accommodation to the applicant, the Office has accepted the submitted CDs and made all reasonable efforts to upload the data from the CDs to the format needed for processing. The Office, however, was not able to convert the submitted documents to the USPTO format. The Office must resort to conventional processing in this extreme situation. In order to further process the application, applicant must file a substitute application in paper.

- A paper submission of a substitute specification according to 37 CFR 1.125
- CD-Rs containing text tables, program listings and sequence listings (according to 37 CFR § 1.52 (e) & 37 CFR § 1.821 -1.823).
- All the forms authored in ePAVE (application data sheet, transmittal, declaration, fee-sheet, assignment) and the acknowledgement receipt

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Additional claim fees of **\$88** as a small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$548** for a Small Entity

- **\$395** Statutory basic filing fee.
- **\$65** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is **\$88**
 - **\$88** for 2 independent claims over 3.

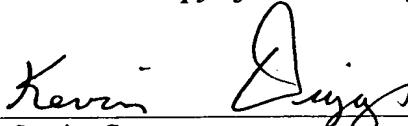
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